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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action of August 21, 2007, amendment to the above-identified patent application as well as the entry of the following remarks is requested. Submitted concurrently herewith is a Request for Continued Examination with provision for the required fee.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.